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Interview Summary	Application No. 10/527,717		Applicant(s) BERENDS ET AL.	
	Examiner James Keenan			

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: 11 February 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal (copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1, 9, 15 and 16.

Identification of prior art discussed: Baker, Behrends, both of record.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant submitted a proposed amendment after-final. Examiner indicated that changes to claim 1 and 9 possibly defined over the art of record, but needed further consideration. It was also noted that new dependent claims 15 and 16 appeared to define over the rejections of record. Applicant indicated that an RCE would probably be filed.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/James Keenan/
Primary Examiner, Art Unit 3652
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